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**Title:** SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND MANUFACTURING METHOD  
THEREFOR

Enclosed are the following papers, including those required to receive a filing date under 37 CFR §1.53(b):

	<u>Pages</u>
Specification	40
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Abstract	1
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**Enclosures:**

- Serial number card (for return).
- New disclosure information, including:
  - Information disclosure statement, 1 page.
  - PTO-1449, in duplicate, 2 pages.
  - Reference, 1 item.
- Transmittal of priority documents, 1 page
- Certified copies of priority document nos. 2000-236881; 2000-283944; and 2000-283998.
- Assignment cover sheet and an assignment, 2 pages, and a separate \$40 fee.

Under 35 USC 119, this application claims the benefit of a foreign priority applications filed in Japan, serial numbers 2000-236881; 2000-283944; and 2000-283998, filed August 4, 2000; September 19, 2000; and September 19, 2000.

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